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Filed: March 5, 2002)
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ETHERNET SWITCHED MODULE)

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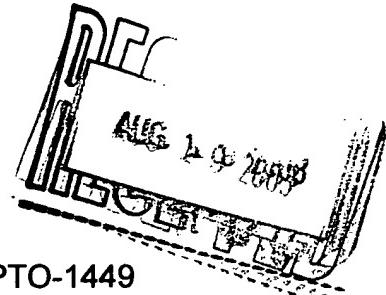
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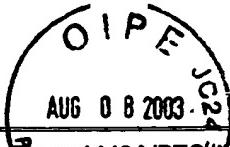
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